Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion ("DEI") Advisory Committee Meeting Minutes

Thursday, October 19, 2023 6:00 PM

Longmeadow Adult Center, Conference Room 211 Maple Road, Longmeadow, MA 01106

AGENDA

- 1. Open Meeting Call to Order
- 2. Public Comments
- 3. Committee Comments
- 4. Invited Guest: Longmeadow Town Moderator Dr. Rebecca Townsend
- 5. Old Business
 - a. Approval of Meeting Minutes
 - b. Continued Review of Committee Scope and Sub-Committee Appointments
 - i. Sub-Committee Assignment Review
 - 1. Updates? What's been learned?
 - c. Update on this Committee's Appointment Update from the Chair on meetings held since 21 September.
 - d. Presence at recent town festivals.
 - i. Debrief from Linda (since absent for 21 September meeting) of September 9-10 Fall Festival
 - 1. Reports
 - 2. Significant conversations
 - 3. Reimbursements due her
 - ii. Debrief from Linda of September 17 Pride Festival
 - 1. Reports
 - 2. Significant conversations
 - 3. Reimbursements due her
- 6. New Business
 - a. Discussion of DEI Survey results to date and immediate and longer-term next steps including wider dissemination.
 - b. Opportunity for our voices and participation, and a request to distribute: email received by each of us on 11 October from Corrin Meise-Munns regarding the DRAFT Long Range Plan Inventory & Analysis that is now open for public comment. The Inventory and Analysis is essentially the "existing conditions" foundation of the Long-Range Plan and was developed over the course of the past year's data analysis, and engagement with the LRPSC, residents, stakeholders, and Town staff. The deadline for public comments is 31 October.
 - c. Strengthen presence at future town festivals/events/in general.
 - i. Logo

- ii. Informatic brochure
- iii. Staying in touch: social media, yard signs, presence at school open houses, other town events?
- d. Other new business
- 7. Adjournment



)raft LRP Inventory & Analysis Open for Comment

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Wed, Oct 11, 2023 at 10:44 Al

Hello Members of the DEI Committee,

The DRAFT Long Range Plan Inventory & Analysis is now open for public comment. The Inventory & Analysis is essentially the "existing conditions" foundation of the Long Range Plan, and was developed over the course of the past year's data analysis, engagement with the LRPSC, residents, stakeholders, and Town staff.

Access the draft and learn more here: https://www.longmeadowma.gov/1358/Longmeadow-Long-Range-Plan

The Town is soliciting public comment on the factual accuracy of the draft. This document is lengthy, and while I encourage you as members of the LRPSC to read through as much as you can, we welcome comments on the document as a whole or on specific sections. **Comments are due 10/31.**

Please share widely with your networks; this is truly open for comments from all members of the public.

Apologies if you are receiving this email for a second time.

Best, Corrin

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